IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006 0986A

Noriko SUGIMOTO et al. : Confirmation No. 1802

Serial No. 10/586,240 : Group Art Unit 3621

Filed July 17, 2006 : Examiner Jacob C. Coppola

PLAYBACK APPARATUS, PLAYBACK AUTHORIZATION SERVER, PROGRAM, AND SYSTEM INTEGRATED CIRCUIT Mail Stop: AMENDMENT

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIVE ELECTIONS

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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In response to the Notice of Non-Responsive Elections mailed January 22, 2010,

Applicants hereby elect Group I, Subspecies A1, B1 and C1 readable on claims 1-7, 13, 17 and

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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